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1.	X	This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
2.		This is a SECONDor SUBSEQUENTsubmission of items concerning a submission under 35 U.S.C. 371.
3.		This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f)). The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (24) indicated below.
4.		The US has been elected (Article 31).
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		c. \square is not required, as the applicationwas filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
6.	\times	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).
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		b. \square has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).
7.		Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(3))
		a. \square are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).
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8.	X	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).
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10.		An English language translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371 (c)(5)).
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15.	×	A FIRSTpreliminaryamendment.
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